

raised from Rs. 2 to Rs. 4 and pointing out the desirability of similarly raising the pay of the watermen of all the dispensaries in the district.

Resolved that the Board approves of the proposal to raise the pay of the watermen in all the Local Fund Dispensaries of this district from Rs. 2 to Rs. 4 and agrees to bear the quota of the increase, debitable to District Board.

X. Read Government Order No. 6989-90—L. B. 21-11-1, dated 21st February 1913, and letter No. 913, dated 14—15th April 1913, from the Secretary to Government for Railways, regarding the financing of the Chik-Jajur-Chitaldrug Railway.

Resolved (1) that, as it is desirable to extend the line to Hiriyur and as the levy of a railway cess of three pies in the rupee will be insufficient to provide for interest and sinking fund, the Government be moved to modify the bill now before the Legislative Council so as to allow of railway cess being levied at a rate not exceeding one anna in the rupee.

(2) that, as the narrow gauge line will be sufficient to deal with the traffic in this district for many years to come, the Government be requested to reconsider the question of gauge.

(3) that, for the raising of funds, by issue of debentures, a prospectus be issued with the permission of Government.

XI. The next meeting of the Board will be held on the 10th July 1913.

K. MATTHAN,
President, District Board.

Notification dated 13th June 1913.

As the sale of the right to collect fees on laden carts, etc., coming to the market place on the shandy days in Hiriyur Municipality for the ensuing year could not be held on 9th June 1913, as per notification dated 1st May 1913, the same has been adjourned to 27th June 1913. The intending bidders may present themselves on that date.

The sale will be conducted on the adjourned date by the Deputy Commissioner or some other officer deputed by him.

The conditions of the sale are the same as those originally notified *vide* page 734 of the Mysore Government Gazette, Part II, dated 22nd May 1913.

M. S. RAMACHANDRA RAO,
For Offg. President, District Board.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

MYSORE STATE LOAN OF 1906-07.

Dated 28th April 1913.

With reference to Government Notification No. Fl. 9254—G. F. 491-11-2, dated 20th August 1912, the following rates offered by applicants for purchase and sale of the Government Securities are published for public information.

2. Communications regarding the same should be made to the Comptroller in the State Huzur Treasury Department by intending buyers and sellers.

Buyers offer to buy at par in fairly large amounts.

Sellers for large amounts are ready to part at a premium of 1 per cent.

No. B. R. 444, dated 9th January 1913.

From this date until further notice, applications from the public will be received by the Bangalore District Treasury for issue of supply bills on the other District Treasuries.

2. Each application should contain the following particulars:—

- (1) Amount for which supply bill is required;
- (2) Name of treasury at which payment is required; and
- (3) Name and address of the applicant for supply bill;

and should be sent to the Deputy Commissioner, Treasury Department concerned, together with the amount for which bills are required and the amount of the commission at $\frac{1}{16}$ per cent.

3. No supply bill will be issued for less than Rs. 500.

4. The undermentioned Taluk Treasuries have also been authorised to receive applications for issue of supply bills for payment at treasuries noted against them:—

1. Tiptur	...	...	Chitaldrug District Treasury.
			Bangalore do
2. Davangere	...	...	Tumkur District Treasury.
			Bangalore do

The application should in this case be addressed to the Amildar of the taluk concerned, under the conditions mentioned in para 2 above, the commission payable being however $\frac{1}{16}$ per cent instead of $\frac{1}{16}$ per cent. He will receive the application and the amounts of the bill and commission sent therewith and grant a receipt in the prescribed form and obtain the required supply bill from the District Treasury concerned and deliver it to the party on his surrendering the receipt originally granted.

5. Supply bills drawn on the District Treasuries will, as far as possible, be made payable at any Taluk Treasury within the district drawn upon. For payment at a Taluk Treasury, however, the payee will have to address the Deputy Commissioner, Treasury Department of the district, who will arrange for such payment as early as practicable.

6. The undersigned will be prepared to consider applications for supply bills to be issued at other treasuries from parties who require such bills regularly for trade purposes. The rates and conditions in the case of such supply bills will be specially settled by the undersigned.

No. 6585—Dep. 1027-37, dated 5th April 1913.

To—The Deputy Commissioners, Treasury Department, of all Districts.

Adverting to Government Order No. Fl. 5121-73—B. 9-12-2, dated 12th March 1913, sanctioning the formation of a State-aided Bank to be called the Bank of Mysore, has the honour to request that all money paid by the public for shares of the Bank of Mysore in response to calls by the Provisional Directors be received in all District and Taluk Treasuries and credited to a separate head in the Treasury Account, viz., 17(c) "Deposit of share Capital of the Bank of Mysore" under "Q. Deposit and advances."

Parties paying in money on this account should be required to present chellans in duplicate clearly showing name and address. One chellan should be returned to the party as a receipt duly signed by the Treasury staff, while the other will be retained as usual in the treasury.

A monthly statement showing the amounts credited in each district should be submitted to this office in support of the credit in the treasury account in the annexed form.

Statement showing the amount credited in the.....District to deposits on account of share capital of the Mysore State Bank for the month of

No. and Date of Chellan	Name of Treasury	Name of Depositor	Amount deposited	Remarks

J. S. CHAKRAVARTI, Comptroller.

MISCELLANEOUS.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, MYSORE.

Circular No. 8.

BROACH COTTON DISTRIBUTION, 1913.

As an important measure of agricultural improvement in the cotton growing tracts of the Mysore Province, the Department of Agriculture took up during the year 1912-13, the introduction of varieties of cotton which are likely to yield a larger money return to the raiyat than the varieties grown largely at the present time. A survey of the soil and other conditions of this tract made by the Department in the early part of 1912, revealed the fact that, in the ordinary black cotton soils of these areas the locally grown sannahatti or jowarihatti